PREPARATION FOR THE VALLEY 75th ANNIVERSARY

COOKBOOK HAS BEGUN. The Youth Committee is planning a church cookbook with recipes that will be coming from our congregation. We would love to have some of your best recipes that you would be willing to share. During the coming months, we will be collecting recipes that can be sent to Claudia Askew, clade9@gmail.com, and we will collect typed or written recipes in a collection basket during coffee fellowship. Beginning Sunday, November 5, recipe sheets will be available for your recipes with complete instructions. A great way to help support our youth as well as adding a nice and joyful element to our church family!

KIDZ MART IS COMING... now accepting your gently used donations for Valley Kids to purchase as Christmas gifts for their families. Look for the Kidz Mart donation bin located in the church office lobby. Kidz Mart offers children an opportunity to shop for Christmas gifts for their family, friends, and pets, under the guidance of our adult and teen shop keepers. Money received through sales will go to Children's Ministries.

HONOR ALL SAINTS: On November 5 we will celebrate All Saints Day. Those who have died during the past year, since November 1, 2016, will be honored during worship. Please provide names of any family and friends you wish to commemorate. Submit names to the church office or place in the offering plate by October 29. Clearly write "All Saints" and the person's name.

PASTOR BINDER'S INSTALLATION SERVICE: Please come and support Pastor Jeff Binder's ministry on Sunday, November 19 at 4:00 PM. At that time, Presbytery of the Cascades will install him as Designated Pastor at Valley. The service will be followed by a casual reception. Note: we will also have our regular 10:00 AM worship service that day.

MAKE YOUR AMAZON PURCHASES COUNT FOR VALLEY! Amazon will send a small kickback to Valley as their way of supporting non profit organizations. All you have to do is open: smile.amazon.com and check our church's name for your designated charity. Then shop Amazon as you normally do.



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	October 29-November 5, 2017	
SUNDAY, October 29 75th Anniversary Celebration 9:00 AM Adult Education Class	TUESDAY, October 31 10:00 AM Staff Meeting 10:15 AM Tai Chi Class	SATURDAY, November 4 Presbytery Meeting in Roseburg
9:15 AM New Spirit Ringers and Youth Choir 9:15 AM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal 9:30 AM Early Coffee 10:00 AM Worship 11:00 AM Coffee Fellowship 11:30 AM 75th Anniversary Luncheon	WEDNESDAY, November 1 8:00 AM Men's Bible Study 8:00 AM Women's Exercise Group 5:00 PM Cherub Choir 5:00 PM King's Kids 6:30 PM Youth Group 6:30 PM Scouts Den 6	SUNDAY, November 5 All Saints Sunday Daylight Saving Time Ends 9:00 AM Adult Education Class 9:15 AM New Spirit Ringers 9:15 AM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal 9:30 AM Early Coffee
MONDAY, October 30 8:00 AM Women's Exercise Group 6:00 PM Girl Scout Troop 7:00 PM Girl Scout Troop	THURSDAY, November 2 6:30 PM Cub Scout Patrol Mtg. 7:15 PM Sanctuary Choir FRIDAY, November 3 Presbytery Meeting in	10:00 AM Worship 11:00 AM Coffee Fellowship 11:30 AM Youth Choir
7:30 PM Girl Scout Troop	Roseburg 8:00 AM Women's Exercise	

CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Ministers: All members of the congregation

Valley Staff:	
Jeff Binder	Pastor, ext. 133
Connor Campbell	Building Superintendent, ext. 143
Chuck Falconer and Jenny Pratt	Pastoral Associates
Angela Graham	Publication & Office Administrator, ext. 126
AmyAnn Green	Business Manager, ext. 128
Bob Hinson	Organist/Pianist, ext. 139
David Jimerson	Minister of Music, ext. 139
Frank Powers	Treasurer, ext. 129
Amy Rheingans	Director of Youth & Children's Music, ext. 145
Anne Scearce	Preschool Director, ext. 146

Session Elders: **Connie Brenner Richard Bryant** Allison Carlson

Birgitta Carlson Glenys Craig Kay Hope Gold Eben Jenkins

David Jimerson **Ruthann Marguis** Phil Miller **Cheryl Rees**

Roger Rees Greg Russell Carol Powers, Clerk CHIMING OF THE HOUR

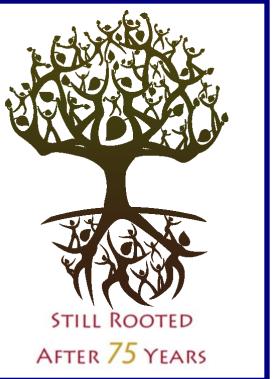
75th ANNIVERSARY ANNOUNCEMENT

PRELUDE

ACOLYTES

✤ CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 90:1-2, 16-17 Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting vou are God. Let your work be manifest to your servants, and your glorious power to their children. Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and prosper for us the work of our hands — O prosper the work of our hands! Let us worship our God!

SERVICE OF WORSHIP



OCTOBER 29, 2017 🕂 10:00 AM Please stand as you are able Bold Text is spoken by everyone

GATHER IN GOD'S PRESENCE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Please pass and sign the friendship folders.

Now Thank We All Our God

arr. Maurice

Hayden Bach and Turner Sanderman

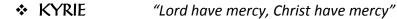
PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Tim Kurtz, Liturgist

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love.

Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. Hear us now as we confess in silence.

🏵 Silence is kept 🏵





✤ ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

✤ THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you!

✤ Please greet those around you with the peace of Christ. ◆

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

TIME WITH THE YOUNG CHURCH

Rev. Jeff Binder

MESSAGE SCRIPTURE	Philippians 4:1-9	New Testament, p. 198
The Word of the Lord		
Thanks be to God!		

MESSAGE

Rejoice!

Rev. Jeff Binder

RESPOND TO GOD'S GRACE

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH from A Brief Statement of Faith In everlasting love, the God of Abraham and Sarah chose a covenant people to bless all families of the earth. Hearing their cry, God delivered the children of Israel from the house of bondage. Loving us still, God makes us heirs with Christ of the covenant. Like a mother who will not forsake her nursing child, like a father who runs to welcome the prodigal home, God is faithful still.

DEDICATION OF OUR GIFTS

Please come forward to place your gifts in the Joash Chest or place them in the offering plate.

CHORAL OFFERTORYLook at the WorldJohn RutterKing's Kids, Youth Choir, Sanctuary Choir

Congregation rising, row by row, as ushers pass

DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

✤ PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

✤ CLOSING HYMN

SHARE THE GOOD NEWS

Rejoice the Lord is King N° 363

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT & BLESSING OF THE MEAL

- ✤ CHARGE & BENEDICTION
- POSTLUDE Fifth Symphony: Toccata Charles M. Widor

Please remain seated to conclude worship with the postlude.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

A SPECIAL WELCOME TO ALL NEWCOMERS: we greet you in the name of Jesus Christ! Please fill out a Visitor Card, located in the pew back, and drop it in the Offering Plate when it is passed.

AN OPEN NURSERY (Room 7) is available for your infant-three year olds every Sunday from 9:45-11:15 AM. Our Nursery is clearly marked and only a few steps down from the main entrance. Audio of the worship service is available to listen to in the Nursery. **COFFEE FELLOWSHIP** will be hosted by Valley Starfish Mariner Group upstairs in Davis Hall/Gym after worship. Coffee, tea, juice, conversation! THE ADULT EDUCATION CLASS will meet at 9:00 AM on Sunday, November 5 in Armitage Hall. The DVD series, "Jesus and his Jewish influences" features Prof. Jodi Magness, PhD, whose focus is to explain how Jesus' teachings and views were affected by his Jewish background. Her narrative begins with the flight from Egypt and focuses on the second temple period in the time of Jesus.

SOUP KITCHEN THANK YOU: Valley Soup Kitchen extends a grateful thank you to the Clippers Mariner Ship for providing and serving the October 19 Soup Kitchen meal.

VALLEY CELEBRATES 75 YEARS: Today is our BIG celebration! After worship, please head up to Armitage Hall to grab a colored nametag corresponding to the number of years you have been attending Valley Church. There are colored balloons marking tables with the nametags. Please also sign your name to the appropriate bulletin board representing the date range you started attending the church. After you have your nametag, proceed to Davis Hall/Gym, find a seat at a table to drop your coat and browse around. We have plenty of soup, salads, and desserts to share. If there is a line growing at the soup table, stop by and view the slide show on the TV monitor, take a look at the memorabilia from the past, purchase a new coffee mug for \$10, and don't forget to write a personal note or reflection of a specific event on our lovely timeline at the back of the gym. To help you figure out which nametag you should pick up, here is the key:

- 50 plus years: Before 1967=Gold nametags
- ✤ 40 plus years: 1968-1977=Green nametags
- ✤ 30 plus years: 1978-1987=Red nametags
- 20 plus years: 1988-1997=Silver nametags
- 10 plus years: 1998-2007=Blue nametags
- Less than 10 years: 2008 until today=Yellow nametags
- Visitors: Please pick up a Valley nametag that says "Hello!" marked with purple balloons.